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For : TRANSMISSION STATE INDICATING

SYSTEM INDICATING POINTER VALUES

FOR EVALUATING TRANSMISSION
STATE OF COMMUNICATION NETWORK
HAVING A PLURALITY OF CHANNELS
AT THE SAME TIME CORRESPONDING

TO THE RESPECTIVE CHANNELS

Art Unit : 2616

Examiner : WANDA Z. RUSSELL

## AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## SIR:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed September 10, 2007 the term for response to which is extended by one month by Petition filed concurrently herewith to expire on January 10, 2008.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1, 8 and 15 are amended, and claims 2-7, 9-14 and 16-20 are maintained.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.

This paper is being submitted via EFS-Web on <u>January 10, 2008</u>

In the event that this Paper is late filed, and the necessary petition for extension of time is not filed concurrently herewith, please consider this as a Petition for the requisite extension of time, and to the extent not already paid, authorization to charge the extension fee to Account No. 06-1378. In addition, authorization is hereby given to charge any fees for which payment has not been submitted, or to credit any overpayments, to Account No. 06-1378.